[CHAPTER 173]

AN ACT

To amend the Act of Congress entitled "An Act for the relief of the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska", approved June 5, 1942.

June 4, 1945 [H. R. 1804] [Public Law 74]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That an Act entitled "An Act for the relief of the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska", approved June 5, 1942 (56 Stat. 323), is amended to read as follows:

Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska.

"That the time within which suit or suits may be filed by the Tlingit and Haida Indians of Alaska under the terms of the Act of Congress of June 19, 1935 (ch. 275, 49 Stat. L. 388), is hereby extended for a period of six years from and after the date of the approval of this Act."

Time for filing suit extended.

Approved June 4, 1945.

[CHAPTER 174]

AN ACT

To provide for emergency flood-control work made necessary by recent floods, and for other purposes.

June 5, 1945 [S. 938] [Public Law 75]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of \$12,000,000 is hereby authorized to be appropriated as an emergency fund to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War and the supervision of the Chief of Engineers for the repair, restoration, and strengthening of levees and other flood-control works which have been threatened or destroyed by the recent floods, or which may be threatened or destroyed by later floods, and for completion of work begun under the Acts entitled "An Act to provide for emergency flood-control work made necessary by recent floods, and for other purposes", approved respectively July 12, 1943, and May 29, 1944: Provided, That pending the appropriation of said sum the Secretary of War may allot from existing flood-control appropriations such sums as may be necessary for the immediate prosecution of the work herein authorized, such appropriations to be reimbursed from the appropriation herein authorized when made.

Sec. 2. The provisions of section 1 shall be deemed to be additional

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Appropriation authorized.
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and supplemental to, and not in lieu of existing general legislation authorizing allocation of flood-control funds for restoration of flood-control works threatened or destroyed by flood.

57 Stat. 521; 58 Stat. 257.
Allotments; reimbursement.

SEC. 3. The War Production Board, and every other governmental agency which has jurisdiction over allocations and priorities relating to farm machinery and equipment, are authorized and directed immediately to take such steps as may be necessary to provide for the necessary allocations and priorities to enable farmers in the areas affected by floods in 1944 and 1945 to replace and repair their farm machinery and equipment which was destroyed or damaged by such floods, or windstorms, or fire caused by lightning, and to continue farming operations.

Provisions deemed additional.

Farm machinery and equipment. Allocations and priorities.

Approved June 5, 1945.

[CHAPTER 175]

AN ACT

To provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work.

June 6, 1945 [S. 383] [Public Law 76]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That title II of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for research into basic laws and

Cooperative agricultural extension work. 49 Stat. 438. 7 U. S. C. \$\ 343c, 343d. Post, p. 233.

Additional funds authorized for further development.

38 Stat. 372.

Annual appropriations. Post, p. 422.

Apportionment.

Exceptions.

Extension Service, expenses.

Allotment based on special needs.

Limitation.

Matching of funds.

Remainder.

Sums appropriated to be additional.

principles relating to agriculture and to provide for the further development of cooperative agricultural extension work and the more complete endowment and support of land-grant colleges", approved June 29, 1935 (the Bankhead-Jones Act), is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new section:

"Sec. 23. (a) In order to further develop the cooperative extension system as inaugurated under the Act entitled 'An Act to provide for cooperative agricultural extension work between the agricultural colleges in the several States receiving the benefits of the Act of Congress, approved July 2, 1862, and all Acts supplementary thereto, and the United States Department of Agriculture', approved May 8, 1914 (U. S. C., title 7, secs. 341-343, 344-348), particularly for the further development of county extension work, there are hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the expenses of cooperative extension work in agriculture and home economics, including technical and educational assistance to farm people in improving their standards of living, in developing individual farm and home plans, better marketing and distribution of farm products, work with rural youth in 4-H Clubs and older out-of-school youth. guidance of farm people in improving farm and home buildings, development of effective programs in canning, food preservation, and nutrition, and for the necessary printing and distribution of information in connection with the foregoing, the following sums:

"(1) \$4,500,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1946, and each

subsequent fiscal year;

"(2) An additional \$4,000,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1947, and each subsequent fiscal year; and

"(3) An additional \$4,000,000 for the fiscal year ending June 30,

1948, and each subsequent fiscal year.

"(b) The sums appropriated pursuant to this section shall be paid to the several States and the Territory of Hawaii in the same manner and subject to the same conditions and limitations as the additional sums appropriated under such Act of May 8, 1914 (the Smith-Lever Act), except that—

"(1) not more than 2 per centum of the sum appropriated pursuant to this section for each fiscal year shall be available for paying expenses of the Extension Service in the United States

Department of Agriculture;

"(2) \$500,000 of the sum so appropriated for each fiscal year shall be allotted among the States and the Territory of Hawaii by the Secretary of Agriculture on the basis of special needs due to population characteristics, area in relation to farm population, or other special problems, as determined by such Secretary: Provided, That not to exceed 10 per centum shall be allotted under this subparagraph to any one State or the Territory of Hawaii for any fiscal year: Provided further, That these funds shall be matched by the State or Territory receiving them, on the same basis as other funds under this Act; and

"(3) the remainder of the sum so appropriated for each fiscal year shall be paid to the several States and the Territory of Hawaii in the proportion that the farm population of each bears to the total farm population of the several States and Territory

of Hawaii, as determined by the census of 1940.

"(c) The sums appropriated pursuant to this section shall be in addition to and not in substitution for sums appropriated under such Act of May 8, 1914, as amended and supplemented, or sums otherwise

appropriated for agricultural extension work. Allotments to any State or the Territory of Hawaii for any fiscal year from the appropriations herein authorized shall be available for payment to such State or the Territory of Hawaii only if such State or the Territory of Hawaii complies, for such fiscal year, with the provisions with reference to offset of appropriations (other than appropriations under this section and section 21 of this title) for agricultural extension work."

SEC. 2. Section 21 of such Act of June 29, 1935, is amended by striking out "(other than appropriations under this section)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(other than appropriations under this section and section 23 of this title)".

Approved June 6, 1945.

ICHAPTER 176]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To extend the statute of limitations in certain cases.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That effective as of December 7, 1943, all statutes, resolutions, laws, articles, and regulations, affecting the possible prosecution of any person or persons, military or civil, connected with the Pearl Harbor catastrophe of December 7, 1941, or involved in any other possible or apparent dereliction of duty, or crime or offense against the United States, that operate to prevent the court martial, prosecution, trial, or punishment of any person or

persons in military or civil capacity, involved in any matter in connection with the Pearl Harbor catastrophe of December 7, 1941, or involved in any other possible or apparent dereliction of duty, or crime or offense against the United States, in connection with the Pearl Harbor catastrophe of December 7, 1941, are hereby extended, in addition to the extensions provided for in Public Laws 208, 339, and 489, Seventy-eighth Congress, for a further period ending six months after the date of the termination of hostilities in the present war with Japan as proclaimed by the President or as specified in a concurrent resolution of the two Houses of Congress, whichever is the earlier.

Approved June 7, 1945.

[CHAPTER 177]

AN ACT

To amend section 9 of the Act entitled "An Act to facilitate the construction, extension, or completion of interstate petroleum pipe lines related to national defense, and to promote interstate commerce", approved July 30, 1941, as amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 9 of the Act entitled "An Act to facilitate the construction, extension, or completion of interstate petroleum pipe lines related to national defense, and to promote interstate commerce", approved July 30, 1941, as amended, is amended by striking out "June 30, 1945" and inserting in lieu thereof "June 30, 1946".

Approved June 8, 1945.

Allotments to States or Territory of Ha-waii.

Condition.

Infra.

49 Stat. 438. 7 U. S. C. § 343c.

June 7, 1945 [S. J. Res. 66] [Public Law 77]

Pearl Harbor catastrophe.
Extension of statutes of limitations.

57 Stat. 605; 58 Stat.

June 8, 1945 [H. R. 2600] [Public Law 78]

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55 Stat 611. 15 U. S. C., Supp. IV, note prec. § 715.